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Dear Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action dated July 7, 2009, having a three-month shortened statutory period for reply set to expire on October 7, 2009, please consider the following remarks.

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